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Serial No.	:	10/686,895	)	
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For	:	DISPLAY METHOD AND	)	
		APPARATUS FOR NAVIGATION	)	
		SYSTEM	)	
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Examiner	:	Unknown	)	

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a form PTO-1449 listing two references relevant to the above-identified application. A copy of the reference is also enclosed. This information disclosure statement is filed before the first office action on the merits, and thus no fee is required in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3). The prior art references enclosed herewith are:

(1) U.S. Patent No. 6,571,169 entitled "Destination input method in navigation system and navigation system" issued to Miyaji on May 27, 2003.

(2) Japanese Patent Publication No. 2001-264083 filed by Alpine Electronics and published on September 26, 2001. An English abstract of this publication is also enclosed.

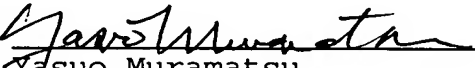
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Applicant respectfully request that the prior art references submitted herewith be considered in the substantive examination of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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